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Company	Vicky S. Miller Environmental Specialist						
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Inspection Report

Permit Number:	C0070018		
Inspection Type:	COMPLETE		
Inspection Date:	Monday, February 08, 2010		
Start Date/Time:	2/8/2010 12:00:00 PM		
End Date/Time:	2/8/2010 2:00:00 PM		
Last Inspection:	Tuesday, November 16, 2010		

Inspector: Steve Demczak, Environmental Scientist III

Weather: Sunny, Snow Covered, 16 inches

InspectionID Report Number: 2274

Accepted by: jhelfric 3/22/2010

Permitee: CANYON FUEL COMPANY LLC

Operator: CANYON FUEL COMPANY LLC
Site: SOLDIER CANYON MINE

Address: PO BOX 1029, WELLINGTON UT 84542

County: CARBON

Permit Type: PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM

Permit Status: ACTIVE

Current Acreages		Mineral Ownership	Types of Operations
6,624.64	Total Permitted	✓ Federal	☑ Underground
24.32	Total Disturbed	✓ State	Surface
	Phase I	☐ County	Loadout
	Phase II	☐ Fee	Processing
	Phase III	☐ Other	Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

Permit Condition: Canyon Fuel Company has just one permit condition for the Soldier Canyon Mine; to submit water quality data in an electronic format through the Electronic Data Input web site.

Permitting Actions: None

Inspector's Signature:

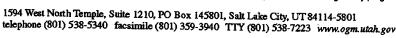
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Tuesday, February 17, 2009

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Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.





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REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 For COMPLETE inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check Not Applicable.
- b. For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.

 2. Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.

 3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performace standard listed below.
- 4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments.

		Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1.	Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale	$\overline{\mathbf{V}}$		$ \mathbf{Z} $	
<u>2.</u>	Signs and Markers	V		V	
3.	Topsoil	V		V	
4.a	Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	V		V	
4.b	Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments	V		\mathbf{Z}	
4.c	Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures	V			
4.d	Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring	V			
4.e	Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations	V		V	
5.	Explosives		V		
6.	Disposal of Excess Spoil, Fills, Benches	V			
7.	Coal Mine Waste, Refuse Piles, Impoundments	V			
8.	Noncoal Waste	V		V	
9.	Protection of Fish, Wildlife and Related Environmental Issues	V			
10.	Slides and Other Damage	V		✓	
11.	Contemporaneous Reclamation	V			
12.	Backfilling And Grading		V		
13.	Revegetation	✓			
14.	Subsidence Control	V			
15.	Cessation of Operations	V		V	
16.a	Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing	✓			
16.b	Roads: Drainage Controls	V		V	
17.	Other Transportation Facilities	✓			
18.	Support Facilities, Utility Installations	V		✓	
19.	AVS Check	V			
20.	Air Quality Permit	V		V	
21.	Bonding and Insurance	7		<u> </u>	
22.	Other				

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1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale

No permitting action is with the Division for Soldier Creek Mine. The permit will expire on Feb. 12, 2012. The SPPC plan was last inspected on December 3, 2007. The UPDES permit will expire on March 31, 2011. SPCC Plan was reviewed on 12/03/2007 by a P.E..

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3. Topsoil

Topsoil piles were snow covered.

4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions

Diversions were snow covered.

4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments

Sediment pond was snow covered. No hazardous conditions were noticed during the inspection. The sediment pond was inspected on Oct. 16, 2009. No hazardous conditions were reported.

4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations

No discharge for the fourth quarterof 2009.

8. Noncoal Waste

No non-coal waste could be seen. The site was cleaned up last summer.

10. Slides and Other Damage

No slides or orther damage was noticed during the inspection.

15. Cessation of Operations

The mine site is still in cessation.

16.b Roads: Drainage Controls

The road is snow covered.

18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations

No new facilities constructed since last inspection.

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20. Air Quality Permit

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21. Bonding and Insurance

The insurance policy will expire on July 31, 2010. The bonding amount is \$1,593,000